

Blogs relevant to naval operations/warfare, policy, and innovation are monitored for items of interest. Some items include a brief abstract. If you would like to recommend a blog site for inclusion, or want to be removed from the list please contact

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Also, please check out the new NWDC Navy Center for Innovation Blog at:

https://www.nwdc.navy.mil/ncoi/blog/

NAVY WARFARE DEVELOPMENT COMMAND: Global Trends 2030: Setting the Framework for Future <u>Thought</u> "For the forward thinkers in the naval services this is a must read. It should force readers to challenge the status quo school of thought as we collectively think through the complex challenges identified in the report."

2. OTHER BLOGS (Rotating, based on relevant content)

ASIA EYE:

Under the Radar 12.17.12 "A weekly compilation of under-reported events in Asia."

AUTOPIA: How Software Reduced Fuel Burn on NASA's Frankenstein F/A-18 "Research test pilots at NASA recently completed a series of tests aimed at reducing fuel consumption in airplanes by fine tuning the software that controls fly-by-wire system."

BUSINESS INSIDER:

A Newly-Discovered Computer Virus Is Wiping Data From Iranian Hard Drives
Veteran Journalist Says The Media Is Totally Misreporting What's Happening In Syria

CNN SECURITY CLEARANCE:

FIRST ON CNN: Clapper to stay on as intel chief

EAGLESPEAK:

Space Station Keeps Watch on World's Sea Traffic

Gulf of Guinea Pirates: Armed Guard Killed Off Nigeria in Gunfight with Pirates

EARLY WARNING:

East Asia's 21st Century Could be Like Europe's 20th Century

<u>Pentagon Study Signals Growing Awareness Of "Non-Kinetic" Threats & Opportunities</u> "InsideDefense.com reported last week that Pentagon acquisition chief Frank Kendall has directed a Defense Science Board study of future electronic-warfare challenges and opportunities."

GOVERNMENT EXECUTIVE:

DARPA Miracle Foam Could Save Lives on the Battlefield

INNOVATION MANAGEMENT:

<u>The Seven Essential Characteristics of Innovative Companies</u>
<u>Leaders: Focus on Creating a Culture of Innovation</u>

NEW ATLANTICIST:

<u>China's Bad Diplomacy</u> "A joke now making the rounds in Asia asks, 'who is America's most effective diplomat in Asia?' The punch line brings knowing laughter: 'Mr. Beijing.' Yes, Mr. Bob Beijing is playing America's best hand."

THE NAVAL DIPLOMAT:

Navy Enthusiasts Get Air Diplomacy Wrong
U.S. Increasing Military Presence in the Philippines

TIME MAGAZINE BATTLELAND BLOG:

<u>Sound the Klaxon: Aah-Ooo-Gah!</u> "Lieutenant James Drennan writes in the latest issue of *Proceedings*, the naval service's professional journal, that too many of the senior officers he is supposed to look up to are falling short."

2nd Lieutenant Danny Inouye, 1924-2012

FROM THE READERS

DARK READING.COM:

Security Researcher Compromises Cisco VoIP Phones With Vulnerability